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# ADMIRAL TOGO SEEKS VESSELS

The Japanese Fleet Is Moving In One Body  
Towards Rojestvensky's Fleet Just Now.

## TAKE ON COAL AT KAMRANH BAY

Passing Boats Announce Russians Evidently Are Waiting For May Before Beginning Operations.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPPS-M'RAE.]  
Tokio, April 19.—From information received here it is believed that the Russian squadron proposes staying at Kamranh bay until May, Rojestvensky meanwhile sending out cruisers to overhaul the merchantmen proceeding along the trade route to the Straits of Formosa. Transports accompanying the Russian squadron are reported to be plying between Kamranh bay and Saigon under the merchant flag of Russia.

To Harass Japanese.  
Admiral Rojestvensky is said to have detached three of his fast auxiliary cruisers, which formerly belonged to the Hamburg-American line, to harass Japanese shipping and raid undefended parts of the Japanese coast hoping to compel Admiral Togo to weaken his fleet by sending cruisers to chase them.

The latest news shows that certainly a portion of the Russian second Pacific squadron was still coaling at Kamranh bay Saturday morning April 15. This news was brought to Singapore by the British steamer Sul-Sang, and to Hongkong by the French steamer Phu-Yen. The former merely reports passing the Russian ships at 11 o'clock in the morning. The Phu-Yen's officers saw twenty vessels coaling in the bay, and it is suspected that the remainder of the fleet was inside the harbor. The Sul-

Japan Is Determined.  
Japanese sentiment is greatly disturbed over the alleged violation of neutrality. The correspondent at Tokio of the Daily Telegraph says he has no hesitation in declaring that should occasion arise and her preliminary protests be ignored, Japan will regard any anchorage occupied by the Russian fleet as its naval base and deal with the situation accordingly.

A dispatch from Saigon states that a quantity of goods purchased there has been delivered to a portion of the Russian fleet off the coast of Indo-China.

## PORTO RICO STRIKE SHOWS ANIMOSITY

### GO TO PRISON FOR WRECKING A BANK

American Emblem Is Torn by Workmen, Who Resist Efforts of Police to Arrest Their Leaders.

San Juan, Porto Rico, April 19.—Six meetings of strikers were held simultaneously Monday in the Ponce district. The insular police report that at one meeting an American flag was torn and trampled upon. They attempted to make arrests and a riot followed. The crowd attacked the police, clubs and revolvers were used and a number of persons were wounded, including three of the police. A lieutenant of police received a scalp wound from a machete. After a number of arrests had been made order was restored, though with great difficulty.

About 4,000 strikers attended another meeting on the Plaza at Ponce. Orators of the American Federation of Labor and President Sanchez of the local organization addressed the men. A disturbance ensued and the police used their clubs, which was followed by revolver-shooting from the crowd. An attempt to rescue the arrested strikers while they were on their way to jail provoked another disturbance, during which a number of persons were injured, though not seriously.

**ALEXANDER HOLDS  
THE WHIP HAND**

### JOHANN HOCH MEETS SIX OF HIS WIVES

Equitable Insurance Row Promises To Be Most Interesting Just Now.

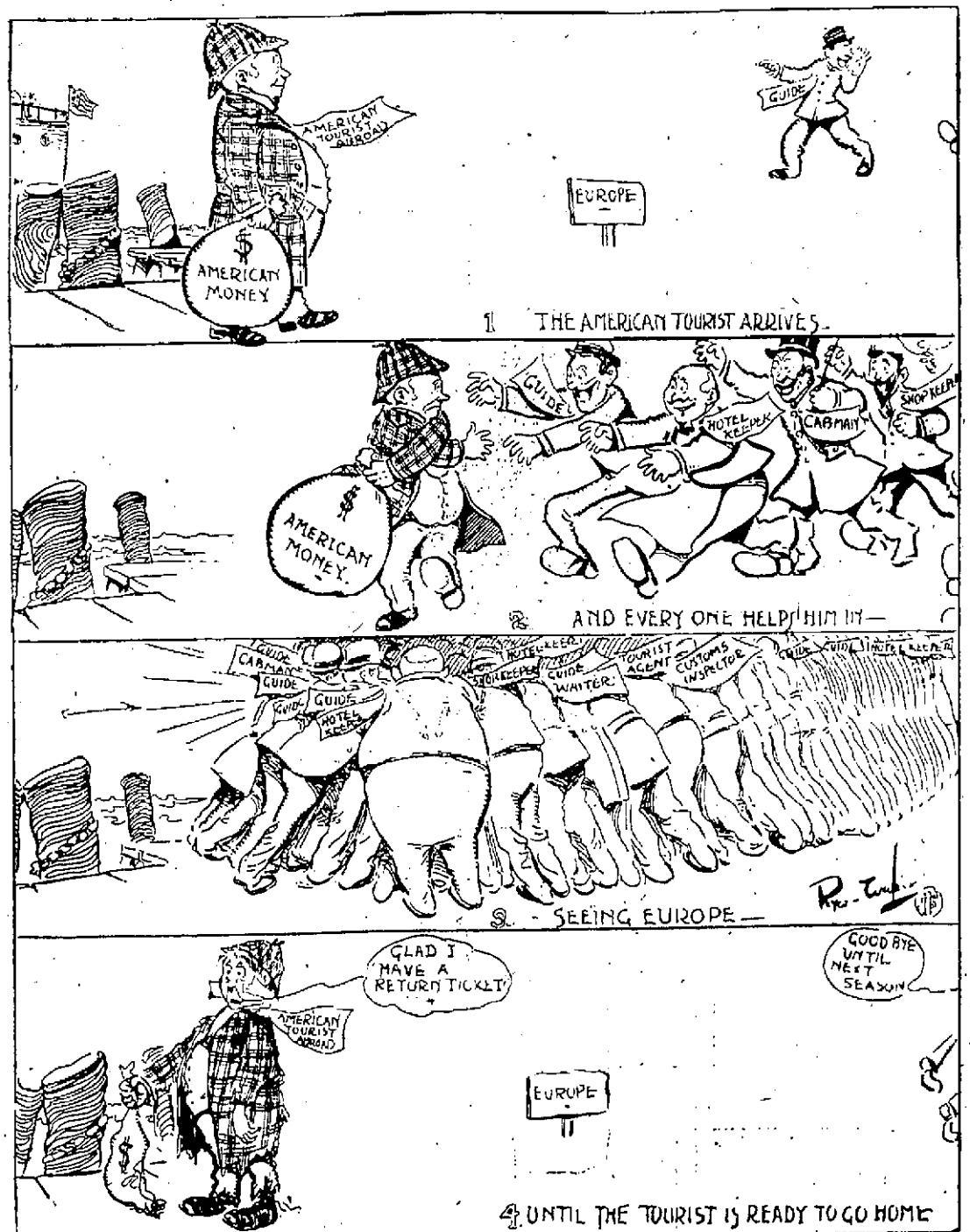
[SPECIAL BY SCRIPPS-M'RAE.]  
New York, April 19.—General agents of the Equitable Life Assurance society went into session again at the Hotel Savoy this morning. They will consider the formation of a permanent organization of general agents and district managers, and discuss the advisability of sending a committee to Albany to petition the governor and legislature to amend the charter of the society so as to allow the policy-holders to become directors and also to allow policy-holders to vote for directors.

## TWO GIRLS DIED BY INHALING GASSES

Rest of the Family Are Saved Only in the Nick of Time by Friends.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPPS-M'RAE.]  
Chicago, April 19.—Two German servant girls employed at the home of Hermann Pagel on North Hulst street were found dead this morning as the result of inhaling gas. Pagel and his wife were resuscitated. The girls, whose names are unknown, had blown out the gas.

Fined for Drunkenness: Fred Sherman paid a fine and costs amounting to \$3.30 and Charles McBeth a fine and costs amounting to \$4.10 in municipal court this morning. Over-indulgence in bulge.



Mr. Tourist's restful little vacation trip. The rush to Europe has commenced. More Americans will go abroad this year than ever before.—News Item.

## ANARCHISTS TO BE ON THE WAR PATH

Will Kill All Army Officers and Po-  
licemen That They Can  
Find Alone.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPPS-M'RAE.]

Paris, April 19.—In a retaliation for killing the workmen at Limoges the anarchists are preparing to inaugurate a campaign against the army and police officers. It is reported they have decided to refrain from large demonstrations, but to kill any of the army officers or policemen caught alone on the streets.

## SECRETLY MARRIED OVER A YEAR AGO

Niece of Andrew Carnegie Returns  
From Europe with Husband  
and Girl Baby.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPPS-M'RAE.]

Pittsburg, April 19.—It has just become public that Miss Nanny Carnegie, the youngest daughter of Mrs. Thos. Carnegie, was married a year ago to James Hever, formerly her mother's coachman. The couple have just returned from abroad with a baby daughter. Hever has two children by a former wife...

### STATE NOTES

Harold Foster of the Beloit college class of 1902, will join the United States teaching corps in the Philippines.

The police force of Kenosha believe that Herman Daly, the clever thief who has been arrested in Milwaukee, has worked at different times in that city.

The Madison presbytery of the Presbyterian church has begun its spring meeting in Beloit. Last night the Rev. S. E. Wishard of Salt Lake City, Utah, spoke on "Mormonism."

Albert Flix, foreman of the car re-

pairers, was fatally injured by being crushed between two cars in the Milwaukee road yards at La Crosse on Tuesday, dying from his injuries a few hours later.

The Women's club of Kenosha has set the date for the annual convention of the State Federation of Woman's Clubs and if approved by the board of directors of the federation it will be held on Oct. 25, 26, and 27.

Great arrangements are being made in Kenosha for the biennial home coming of the graduates of the Kenosha high school, which will occur in the month of June and it is expected that fully 500 of the old boys and girls will attend the reunion.

The second trial of Dr. George R. Koch, a New Ulm, Minn., dentist, who is charged with having murdered Dr. L. A. Gebhardt of Black River Falls, Wis., in November last, will begin before Judge Lorin Cray in the district court at Mankato, Minn., today.

The Northern Grains company elevator near the Wisconsin Central station in Portage burned on Tuesday, together with the car sheds of the Wisconsin Central. There were 3,000 bushels of grain in the elevator, also several hundred barrels of flour and salt in the adjoining warehouse which was burned. The combined loss is about \$12,000.

## SMALL ARMY SEEK TO DELAY A BILL

Gaslight Power People Invade Spring-  
field to Demand a Hear-  
ing Today.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPPS-M'RAE.]

Springfield, Ill., April 19.—A delegation of a hundred and fifty gas light and power representatives from all parts of the state swept down upon the house of representatives today and demanded a hearing in opposition to the bill providing for municipal ownership of gas. The men declared they represented an investment of two hundred million dollars and must be heard. Although the bill had already passed to a third reading the steering committee agreed to give the gas people a hearing at four this afternoon.

## JAPS FAILED TO TURN THE FLANKS

Advices from the Seat of War An-  
nounce That Heavy Rains Have  
Set In, in the East

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPPS-M'RAE.]

St. Petersburg, April 19.—A dispatch from the front says the Japanese tried to turn the Russian left flank near Heisichimon. The Russians retired a short distance to the north. The rain is falling and the roads are almost impassable.

### SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

The Wisconsin State Federation of Women's clubs will hold its annual convention in Kenosha Oct. 25, 26 and 27.

A gas buoy in process of filling on board the government steamer Scout exploded near Kingston, Ont., killing one and injuring four of the crew.

Erich Von Kutzelen, who wrecked the Rock Island limited near Marengo, Iowa, Jan. 21, was reindicted for murder in the first degree and train-wrecking.

A new wage scale that is to go into effect on the Iowa Central railroad May 1, affecting telegraph operators and all agents doing telegraph's duty, increases salaries 5 per cent.

Governor Purdie of California issued a requisition on the governor of Illinois for the return of William S. Loring, who is wanted in San Francisco to answer the charge of embezzlement.

Captain A. H. Laffin, said to be the oldest sailing officer in the national quartermaster service, has been reinstated to his old position, that of commander of the cableship Burnside, by President Roosevelt.

Mr. Triana, the Colombian charge d'affairs, will leave Washington for New York to meet the new Colombian minister, Mr. Mendoza, who will arrive next week.

Chief Wilkie of the government secret service left Washington for Honolulu and the Philippine Islands. A branch of the secret service will be established at the former place.

United States Senator Boies Penrose has announced that he will retire as republican state chairman April 26, the day the state convention of Pennsylvania meets at Harrisburg.

President Diaz and a party of friends left the City of Mexico last night on a special train for Parque station, on the Cuernavaca branch of the Mexican Central, where they will begin a week's deer hunt in the mountains. The President is in excellent health.

## BALTIC PORTS THE SCENES OF STRIKES

Workmen Demand Higher Pay—For-  
eign Russian Seamen Ordered  
Back for Duty.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPPS-M'RAE.]

St. Petersburg, April 19.—Workmen at the Baltic ports have struck for higher wages and the bakers at Riga have struck and the town is almost without bread. The government has ordered all the naval reserves now working on merchant vessels at Scandinavian ports to return home immediately. It is presumed they are wanted for the fourth Baltic fleet.

## FIND TREACHERY IN THE PHILIPPINES

Island of Luzon the Scene of the  
Latest Conspiracy Against  
Uncle Sam.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPPS-M'RAE.]

Washington, April 19.—Mariano Toribio, a justice of the peace at Mariveles in Luzon, is under arrest charged with sedition. According to the advices received here, Toribio wrote letters intended to incite the people to rebellion.

### THANKS MORGAN FOR BEING SO HONEST

Italian King Meets the American  
Millionaire in Private  
Audience.

Rome, April 19.—J. P. Morgan was received in a private audience by King Victor Emmanuel today. The King thanked Morgan for his generous act in returning to Ascoli the cope stolen from the cathedral there.

## BELOIT WOMAN WON ONE OF HER SUITS

Mrs. Lettie Baldwin Klein Gets Per-  
manent Alimony from Her  
Husband.

Janesville friends of Mrs. Lettie Baldwin Klein will be pleased to learn that she has won one of her suits against her husband at Louisville, Ky. By the decree of the court she was a few days ago granted separation from her husband with permanent alimony. The other suit against her parents-in-law for alienation of her husband's affections is still pending. Mrs. Klein did not sue for a divorce from her husband. She simply asked that the temporary alimony he had been paying her be made permanent with the privilege of living apart from him. He filed a cross suit for divorce, but this was denied by the judge who allowed the claims of the young wife. Friends of Mrs. Klein are hoping that the other suit will also be decided in her favor.

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## CROP OUTLOOK IS PROMISING

WINTER CROPS ARE IN EXCELLENT CONDITION.

## FARM WORK WELL UNDER WAY

U. S. Department of Agriculture,  
Climate and Crop Service,  
of Weather Bureau.

Weekly Crop Bulletin for the Week Ending Monday, April 17th, 1905.—The crop season of 1905 opens generally under very promising conditions, with abundant moisture, and winter crops as a rule in excellent condition. While the weather during the month of February was unusually cold, the damage to winter crops by freezing does not appear to have been of much consequence, as the ground was generally well covered with snow during the more severe cold periods. Reports from nearly all parts of the state seem to indicate that winter wheat, rye, clover, grasses and pastures came through the winter season in much better shape than usual. Farming operations have been commenced, and especially in the southern portions of the state are making rapid progress, a number of correspondents reporting early spring seeding fully half finished. While very little farm work has been accomplished in the northern counties, farmers report the soil generally in good condition, and seeding will be pushed rapidly, with good weather. Live stock came through the winter in good condition, as a rule, and there is but little complaint of shortage of feed.

Taking the state as a whole, the outlook is generally very promising.

### Northern Section.

Schofield, Marathon county: Winter wheat came through in good shape; rye and clover all right so far; some oats being sown, but ground too cold.—H. Drake.

Randall, Burnett county: No farm work begun in this vicinity yet, and it is difficult to tell the condition of winter grains and grasses.—S. J. Bengston.

Merrill, Lincoln county: Ground frozen hard and a heavy snowstorm on the 15th; very little spring work done; clover looks good but growing slowly.—M. W. Brand.

Fifield, Price county: Winter wheat and rye look favorable; some plowing has been done and if the weather allows will continue rapidly.—Jas. Sweeney.

Chippewa Falls, Chippewa county: Land in very good condition for working when not frozen; some seeding done; weather cold and dry.—W. B. Bartlett.

Aaron, Burnett county: Some seeding done; clover and winter grain came through in good condition; vegetation not started yet.—A. Corneil.

Middle Section.

Hilbert, Calumet county: Farmers commenced seeding during the week; ground works nicely; clover and winter grain in excellent condition; weather cool.—G. A. Cressy.

Oshkosh, Winnebago county: Seeding about half done and land in fine condition; weather very cold; winter rye in fine condition; meadows and pastures look fine.—W. B. Pride.

Brillion, Calumet county: Winter grains and clover look good and seeding well under way; some snow Friday morning, but melted rapidly.—J. M. Radloff.

Waupaca, Waupaca county: Considerable seeding done, and new seedling looking fairly well; old seedling badly winter killed; feed is getting low.—M. T. Allen.

Leon, Monroe county: Winter wheat looking good, but very little sown; seeding well under way; weather cold; grain starting slowly.—Henry Austin.

Abbotsford, Clark county: Weather very unfavorable for spring work; rye, wheat, and clover appear to be in fair condition; little farm work done.—G. F. Schmidt.

Ellis, Portage county: Rye and new clover wintered well; considerable plowing done; weather rather cold and ground freezing every night.—N. Eiden-Mitchell.

Campbellsport, Fond du Lac county: Seeding has commenced; grasses and rye are coming out in fine shape, and stock came through the winter nicely.—J. A. Hendricks.

Eau Claire, Eau Claire county: New seeding wintered well; ground in excellent condition for seeding; frosts have been frequent during the week.—N. B. Koil.

Hortonville, Outagamie county: Weather has been fine, and seeding will be pushed forward rapidly; clover and rye uninjured by winter freezing.—B. M. Gurnee.

### Southern Section.

Afton, Rock county: Farming well under way, with quite an acreage of oats sown; some early gardening done, but ground cold and weather unfavorable.—U. G. Waite.

## REAL HAVANA CIGARS FOR FIVE CENTS.

Smith Drug Co. Buy Wadsworth Bros. Chicos Direct From Manufacturers and Save Patrons Jobbers' Profit.

The fact that Wadsworth Bros. sell their Chicos direct to the leading retailers thus saving all middlemen's and jobbers' profits enables us to buy the Chicos so that we can sell them for five cents straight.

## MASTER RAY JOHN MASON HAS A BIRTHDAY PARTY

A Dozen Little Friends Were His Guests at Home on North Street Yesterday.

In honor of his tenth birthday anniversary Master Ray John Mason entertained a dozen of his little friends at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Mason, 205 North street, yesterday afternoon. Games dear to childhood, were played and a tempting luncheon served. The guests were: Willie Lawton, Mary O'Donnell, Martin Dolan, Margaret Denning, Arthur Welch, Charlotte O'Donnell, Joe Denning, Helen Russell, Ramon Mason, Adelie Mason, Will Cobur, and Evaine Welch.

The best men in this city, the bankers, lawyers, the merchants, those who can afford to spend ten, fifteen cents or more for a cigar prefer the Chico on account of their mildness, and their true Havana fragrance and flavor.

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Baraboo, Sauk county: Winter wheat came through the winter in excellent condition; orchard trees and small fruits uninjured; pastures starting—W. A. Toole.

Beloit, Rock county: Seeding of small grain well under way, while fall grain and pastures are farther advanced than usual at this season of the year.—A. C. Powers.

Montello, Marquette county: Winter grain and clover in excellent condition; some seeding being done on upland; weather cool past week.—F. P. Crown.

Potosi, Grant county: The weather has been very favorable for spring planting; wheat and oats about all in; pastures coming out nicely; ground in good shape.—J. Tobin.

Lodi, Columbia county: Ground in good condition for seeding, and this work is well advanced; the ground was covered with snow Friday morning.—T. F. Ryan.

Brooklyn/Green County: Spring opened early, with an abundance of moisture; rye and clover all right; meadows looking fine; oat seeding nearly done.—E. O. Wheelock.

Verona, Dane county: Weather generally favorable for all spring work and land in fair condition; oat seeding well under way; clover wintered well.—C. W. Derrickson.

Westby, Vernon county: Rye and clover in fine condition and ground in good shape from spring work; spring seeding about half done; no rain during week.—E. B. Homstad.

Prairie du Chien, Crawford county: Good weather for all farm work; rye in good condition; grasses and clover came through the winter in good condition.—Joseph Flucke.

Franksville, Racine county: Farmers generally seeding, but ground not in very good condition, being too cold and wet for germination.—F. W. Morris.

Milton, Rock county: Plowing now in progress and sowing will be commenced during the coming week if weather is favorable; ground still wet.—J. H. Burdick.

W. M. WILSON,  
Section Director.

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real ones, at Singer Stores. Buy here and deal with the manufacturers. The Singer Company is permanent and responsible; its representatives are always at hand to care for Singers Machines. Look for the red S. 14 Corn Exchange Block, Janesville, Wis.

## "BRAINS" COMMENTS ON GAZETTE WORK

Pays a Pretty Tribute to Its Department of Printing.

In its issue of April 1st, *Brains*, the retailer and advertiser's paper, a very well known publication, prints the following:

"The Janesville Gazette, Janesville, Wis., sends out a booklet printed in seven colors for the Hough-Shade Corporation of that city. The book compares favorably with any piece of similar work we have ever seen. The booklet sheets were run through the press fourteen times, seven colors on each side, and were fed to a hair line register. The Gazette Printing Co. turns out splendid half-tone work, which is unusual in printing establishments in cities of the size of Janesville."

Comment of this character gives strength to the fact that the class of work turned out from the printing department of the Gazette is above the average. Artisans of unusual ability and equipment of the modern type can accomplish the highest class printed matter; proof of their work can be seen everyday.

**GREEN COUNTY AS MATRIMONIAL FIELD**

Monroe Times Has Story on an Evansville Widower Who Seeks a Wife There.

The Monroe Journal publishes the following article relative to an Evansville widower who is in Green county seeking a spouse:

"Hush! Keep it quiet. Don't say a word about it. She says she will give him her answer in a week and then you may have a good item of news."

"Yes, but what is his name?"

"Never mind; that will be alright. We have got it fixed and do not want it spoiled."

Enough is known about the dark secret to warrant the statement that a rich widower, living between Albany and Evansville, is in the city for the purpose of getting a wife. He is a German, short, with dark hair and whiskers, slightly gray. He offers \$500 to the man who can come forward with the right party. It is said that he recently sold 200 acres of land, still owns a fine farm of 160 acres near Evansville and also owns property in Evansville.

W. J. Hahn of Albany brought him here today and offered to divide up with anyone who could be of assistance. There was instant commotion and a great deal of matrimonial talk. A hurried trip was made down West Washington street and after two hours it was said that there might be a wedding in the course of a week.

Meanwhile the match-makers are not saying a word, but it is evident that they are confident that the monkey has been earned and that they will soon be in on the divide.

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## REAL TRUE FISH STORIES; ALL NEW

WHAT MAY BE FOUND IN THE WAY OF SPORT IN FLORIDA.

## TARPONS ARE NOT WHALES

Strange Adventures of Hunters After the Big Denizens of the Deep.

leaves a man exhausted and perfectly satisfied to quit for the day.

JOHNNY AND EMMA IN "DOWN THE PIKE"

The Rays and Their Company Please Good Sized Audience at the Myers Last Night.

Chorus of fair ones: "Pooh, pooh for you!"

Johnny Ray: "And a couple of judges for you!"

Chorus: "Don't you know what a stenographer is?"

Johnny: "I do but I don't like to mention it."

Chorus: "We take shorthand."

Johnny: "And teach long-hand."

One sweetly: "My name is Dora Bell."

Johnny: "Side or front?"

Another: "My name is Miss Few Cloches."

Johnny: "Ring off! You've been on the line too long!"

"Down the Pike" makes no pretensions of being a classic or of owing its origin to a composer and a librettist. Much of the dialogue belongs to the scullery rather than the drawing-room. Parlor reporters could hardly be expected of "The Janitor."

Johnny Ray is the play. As the tyrant ruler of cellar-coalbin and the upper floors, monarch before whom matins, bellboys, and guests are alike taught to cringe and bend the knee, he lives a charmed life until a giddy husband and a devoted lover, actuated by diverse motives, adopt the same disfigurement. The make-up is that of the janitor and complications of a most absurd and ridiculous character ensue between the original and his imitators when they leave Paradise Flats to meet on the St. Louis Pike.

After Johnny Ray, Tom Leo as "Texas" the donkey and "Pee-wee" the elephant, commands the lion's share of laughs. The "Rough Rider" scene which closes the first act and in which Ray and the "donk" appear in a grotesque caricature of "The Man" on Horseshoe, the man of destiny—President Roosevelt, is one of the big hits. Last night it called forth applause that amounted to an ovation. The marches and drills of the soldier boys and girls constitute a very beautiful and inspiring scene and just at the climax where one expects a strange scoundrel to rush in with the flag, enter the terrible janitor and his outlandish beast of burden.

Emma Ray appears as "Mrs. Russell Keene," the suspicious wife who has driven her husband and her ward's lover to adopt the janitor's disguise. She wears stunning costumes and jewels; sings and dances "Back, back, back to Baltimore" to the accompaniment of the male chorus, the indulgent smiles of Johnny, and his ferocious beating of the big bass-drum. Several repetitions of this specialty were demanded last evening. Sophie Burnham also pleased with her songs "Kentucky Babe" and her duet with Johnny "Won't You Fondle Me?" Little Devil was good as the inquisitive old maid. The chorus is comely, well drilled, and garbed in a variety of attractive costumes. The scenic effects are all that could be asked, the reproduction of the St. Louis fair palace with the flowing cascades, in the last act, being of surpassing beauty.

Mrs. Ray's father, Elijah Carter, who resides at 54 Milton avenue, son of the other relatives, and her little daughter occupied a box. The audience at the Myers theatre was a good sized one, and gave continual evidence of their whole-souled approval of the offering. Johnny Ray, who started out from Cleveland with a little wagon show not many years ago, is now a wealthy man. He sold his last year's production of "A Hot Old Time" for \$20,000.

While the Cleveland party were angling for whale it became necessary for some one to supply the table, and this task was taken up by the subscriber and his wife, who were ably assisted by Mrs. F. J. Bailey.

This lady was quite successful until her ambition to capture a baby tarpon weighing about 75 pounds, developed into a burning desire, and some two weeks or more were spent in a vain effort to locate a fish of this size.

Mrs. Bliss had a weakness for catfish and it was no uncommon thing for her to catch the same fish three or four times at a single sitting.

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FOR SALE—I have your old loquats and Brussels carpet woven into beautiful rugs. Work guaranteed; prompt delivery. Janesville Rug Co., 105 N. River St. P. O. Box 82. Old phone 2861.

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LOST—White Fox Terrier pup; white color with black. Please return or notify A. J. Harris, 301 Sinclair St.

FOR SALE—Five residence lots in Forest Park, near Brook. Second ward; cheap; acres suitable for growing sugar beets. Money to loan. F. L. Clemens, 161 W. Milwaukee St.

LOST—White bulldog; o for marked "Ford Gasoline Drug Co." Run away and returned to G. Ford at Badger Drug Co.

MAKE LAW TO AID JOHN DIETZ

Legislator Would Pass Bill to Protect Man Defying Lumber Company.

Madison, Wis., April 19.—Assemblyman Evans of Eau Claire says the state should take a hand in the case of John Dietz against the Chippewa Lumber and Boom company. He is looking up the matter to see what steps can be taken to protect Dietz in his rights. He suggests that the law, passed several years ago, authorizing the building of the dam, be repealed. Dietz owns the land on both sides of the creek, and in case the law is repealed, can do as he pleases about opening it or keeping it closed. Thus Dietz can compel the company to settle with him before getting its logs down.

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FOR SALE—Several bush barrel coal heating stoves with pipe and flues, etc. W. G. Palmer, 133 S. Jackson St.

FOR SALE—All favorite heating stove at a bargain. Address X. M., care Gazette.

FOR SALE—The Kirk house, in Third ward. Modern improvements. Price right to early purchaser. Baynard & Sons.

FOR SALE—Four-burner gas stove. Inquire at A. C. Campbell's grocery, 3 Park avenue.

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FOR RENT—Modern steam heated flat in Waverly block; bath room, sewerage to the river. Possession given May 1st. Apply to F. L. Stevens, Lovejoy's block.

FOR RENT—Land in city limits for raising vegetables and tobacco. Inquire at 35 Huger ave.

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FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, near depots. Inquire at 110 N. Academy St.

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\$1000 buys seven room house and two lots. \$800 cash, balance on time, must be paid at once. Address V. A. Gazette.

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FOR SALE—We want to trade city property for a Dakota farm at a right price.

We want to buy a home in the Fourth ward at from \$1000 to \$2000, for car, etc.

168 acres, 3/4 miles from city limits; 161 land, and 161 buildings. Price \$100 per acre. Possession given April 1st.

A good lively stock in city for sale.

We buy, sell, rent; write Firs, Life, Plate Glass and Accident Insurance; make Loans; furnish Bonds.

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# NEWS FOR THE PLAY-GOERS

A feature of "The Girl and the Bandit" which the Frank L. Perley Opera Company will produce here at the Myers Grand Saturday, April 22, is the climbing scene in the first act, in which eight young women descend from the balcony of an old Italian palace to meet their lovers who are a number of Italian noblemen.

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## BUSINESS OUTLOOK PROMISING.

Henry Clews in writing on the business outlook, says:

"The general business outlook is promising. Bank clearings show an unusually large volume of business.

The total clearings at all cities in the United States for the month of April aggregated about \$2,788,000,000, an increase of over 50 per cent above the same month a year ago. This shows a most extraordinary recovery in business; although speculation, which is more active, especially in real estate, does not account for so large a gain. A considerable portion of the increase was due to the numerous important financial operations in various parts of the country; perhaps railroad earnings are a more reliable index of actual recovery. For the last four or five weeks railroad earnings have been increasing at the rate of from 7 to 11 per cent, whereas in February we had a series of declines varying from 2 to 7 per cent. Judging by the reports of railroad managers earnings are likely to show gains for some weeks to come, since all the roads seem to be taxed to their fullest capacity for freight while passenger earnings are also being correspondingly swelled. The progress of business will, of course, be largely influenced by crop conditions. This spring has opened very favorably indeed for farming operations, and reports regarding winter wheat are to the effect that the crop is unusually fine and in much better condition than a year ago. April condition was reported at 91 against 76 a year ago, but conditions usually decline in later months. It is somewhat significant that our great harvesting implement companies are placing unusually large orders for raw materials in preparation for the anticipated demand for farm machinery. Another satisfactory feature is the increase in value of our domestic exports, chiefly due to cotton exports. Our imports continue large, rendering it useless for the present to expect any improvement in our trade balance unless it should come in the unrecorded item of security shipments, which latter are growing under the increased confidence in Americans abroad. As for the improved state of the iron trade, that is too familiar to require mention here."

The foreign situation is practically unchanged. Each day news is anticipated of another great naval battle between Russia and Japan. Russian success would cause depression, inasmuch as it would probably prolong the war. Japanese success, on the other hand, would be stimulating, for the reason that it would hasten a more perfect peace. Japan unquestionably desires to destroy the Russian fleet and take Vladivostok before listening to any discussion of peace terms. Consequently, over-sanguine expectations of an early termination of the war should not be indulged. No uneasiness is yet shown in Paris, although that center is closely watched; but the French bankers seem to have the situation well in hand and are evidently endeavoring to defer the depressing effects of war upon Russian securities until after the struggle is ended, when selling would be less, and holdings could be more safely distributed. As a matter of fact, the internal dissensions in Russia are more threatening to Russian securities than the war. If the latter was the only cause of depression their decline would be very serious.

The United States Tobacco Journal thus discusses the new cigarette bill:

"Wisconsin's legislature is being criticised rather sharply and indignantly in trade circles on account of its radical and absurd anti-cigarette bill, the full text of which is published in another place. Considering that Wisconsin is the largest cigar-leaf growing State in the Union, the idea that it should anathematize smoking in any shape or form is too grotesque not to arouse that kind of ridicule that will make it the laughing stock of the country. Suppose the states that grow cigarette tobacco and the other southern states out of sympathy with them should lay a similar embargo on the manufacture and sale and the mere giving away of cigars what would become of the great source of Wisconsin's wealth, its cigar leaf culture? Would not the same hayseeds of rural legis-

lators rise in wrath and protest and denunciation of such a ridiculous and childish measure, beneath the contemplation of a serious mind? For a cigarette is as little injurious to health and life, and about as much subversive of good morals and high ethics as a cigar with a Wisconsin binder, or a cheroot and stogie with a Wisconsin wrapper, or scrap shewing tobacco manufactured wholly of Wisconsin leaf. There is as little accounting for the perverse judgment of the representatives of Wisconsin cigar leaf growers in their legislative excommunication of the cigarette as was for the hop-growers of New York in voting for prohibition. Well, prohibition proved a failure, and the hop-growers were boycotted by the brewers. A similar fate awaits Wisconsin if its legislature should carry out its anti-cigarette craze."

From a purely mercenary standpoint the argument advanced is a good one and on questions of this character it is extremely doubtful if prohibition laws accomplish much in the way of reform.

That the cigarette habit is injurious is not open to discussion, but like the drink habit, it will never be cured by law. Restrictions may make it more difficult but "this as a rule stimulates ambition and plenty of ways will be found to evade the law."

The position taken by Senator Whitehead on this measure was right. He regards a dead letter law as worse than no restriction. So far as the tobacco interests are concerned, they are incidental, but the state will discover that nothing has been gained by erratic legislation.

Wisconsin is not suffering for a rate commission, but if the state is to have one, the members should be elected by the people. The work is too important to be entrusted to the appointive power of any governor.

The Winnebago tribe of Indians is in a fair way to become extinct through the ravages of consumption. The tribe has a government credit of \$900,000, but the warriors are old men and the race is not being perpetuated.

The Country Calendar is the name of a new monthly magazine just brought out by the Review of Review company. It will be known as the outdoor magazine and will be largely devoted to rural life.

A Chicago church is equipped with wires connecting the pulpit and pews, so that deaf people are able to understand the speaker distinctly. The church will prove a favorite resort for deaf hearers.

The Standard Oil Company is accused of buying up newspapers in Kansas, for the purpose of fighting the state on its new oil industry. The influence of this class of papers will not be valuable.

There were more ducks killed in Wisconsin before the open season commenced, than since, in spite of watchful game wardens.

Old Mexico has adopted the gold standard, going one step farther than the United States by not attempting to float a 50 cent dollar at par. It will be safe to do business with Mexico in the future.

Mayor Dunne of Chicago does not yet own the railroads, but he expects to before his administration closes. The taxpayers will have an income before they know it.

Young Mr. Hyde of the Equitable Life appears to be a captain of industry in high finance. He is said to be a good entertainer.

What has become of the Janesville Club. The city should be able to support a good organization of this kind.

The now council can make a record by passing an anti-splitting ordinance. Janesville is behind the times on this important reform.

The striking miners of Duluth are said to be losing \$6,000 a day in wages. This is the kind of a loss which is never made good.

The best time to advertise is all the time. Spasmodic effort in any undertaking is energy and money wasted.

Bears are taking to the woods in the Rockies, on account of the president's visit.

Governor Folk of Missouri finds time to conduct a reform campaign in St. Louis every now and then.

If Japan is successful in the naval engagement at hand, peace will doubtless be declared in a month.

The first of May promises a good many disturbances in labor circles.

## PRESS COMMENT.

Chicago Record-Herald: Meat has gone up again, but why complain? Strawberries can now be purchased for less than 10 cents apiece.

Madison Democrat: A constitutional convention is an expensive folly for which an economical legislature cannot afford to stand.

Milwaukee Sentinel: Henry James, it seems, doesn't admire Mr. Roosevelt's literary work. No doubt the president's style is hardly opaque and nebulous enough to suit Henry.

Chicago Inter Ocean: Susan B. Anthony's divorce because it is the only means whereby a woman can regain her freedom. And yet Miss Anthony must know of a way.

in which a woman can keep her freedom.

Waupaca Record: Here is a problem which outweighs the importance of the "age of Ann." If a woman can dress on \$5 per year, how much can her husband conscientiously spend for cigars?

La Crosse Chronicle: The Shoe Dealer says women will wear large, roomy shoes with broad toes and low heels this summer. That is what the manufacturers and merchants say. The women are yet to be heard from.

Milwaukee Free Press: One noticeable feature of the Jefferson banqueting was the frequency with which Col. Bryan was referred to as the next nominee of the party for president. The colonel would find that the old rule of "three times and (still) out" holds good.

Exchange: With the genuine oriental passion for carrying back the date of new things a few centuries, the Japs now claim that this is not the first time they have whipped European powers—that they were the first and only original Huns who overrun Europe a few centuries ago.

St. Joe Gazette: A Colorado editor informs us that "whenever you see a woman with a red nose you can bet that she wears tight sleeves, snug corsets and choking collars." That mystery being cleared up, will somebody please tell us where the men folk get their red noses?

Eau Claire Leader: The Northwestern railroad is issuing another book on Wisconsin cities on its line for purpose of encouraging industries in locating here, and the local agents are asked for information. Has the Eau Claire Business Men's Association made progress enough to see that Eau Claire can put forward her proper claims for recognition?

Madison Journal: "The Wisconsin Sugar Beer" is a monthly devoted to the new home industry. A recent issue lists growers by the score with acreage varying from ten acres to one or two. Farmers who planted ten acres raised, perhaps, 121 tons, for which they received about \$600, a charge in the neighborhood of \$60 a ton. Those with fewer acres raised considerably more than that.

Fond du Lac Commonwealth: It has been the impression of some very well informed people that the governor has been regarding the senatorship with less and less favor, anyhow, as his acceptance would in a way remove him from the field of state politics, where he has won his spurs. This would necessitate a new deal all around and it might not be exactly to his liking. Of course it would be something of an innovation for him to become a candidate for governor the fourth term, but then it should be remembered that innovations are in his line.

Superior Telegram: The Oshkosh Northwestern says it is only the man who gets up early in the morning and who gets the benefit of the daybreak carol of the wild songsters. Possibly in Oshkosh, but up in these parts of "carol of the wild songsters" ceases about midnight and can't be heard at all at daybreak.

Milwaukee Journal: There is too much disposition to lug into the schools subjects which all children may be expected naturally to learn outside. To teach such things in the public schools means salaries and expensive apparatus, yet it is wholly unnecessary. The old methods were good, judged by results. The same cannot be said of many of the new methods.

El Paso Herald: Coming down to tactics and the wrestler's mat, jiu-jitsu and judo, the unduly advertised Jay collection of tricks, are not proving competent to get away with ordinary good old fashioned American wrestling. In every exhibition match recently, the oriental expert has been worsted and he has had no chance to put into execution those nerve-wrecking kinks sent down from an antiquity as hereditary secrets of the mikado's bad men.

Minneapolis Journal: If you can't talk politics, religion, insurance, labor and capital; socialism, railroad rebates or municipal ownership without "getting mad" it is a sign that you are a lightweight. If you keep an outward semblance of good nature and are mad down underneath, you are still in the gall of bitterness and are bond or iniquity. Clear your thoughts and let other people have their fool notions just the same as you want the right to entertain yours. Then we'll get along together like kittens and the millennium will be at least two weeks nearer.

The best time to advertise is all the time. Spasmodic effort in any undertaking is energy and money wasted.

Spartan Women: Lycurgus, being asked why he brought up Spartan young women in the same athletic exercises as the men, gave the three following reasons for it: First, that a vigorous offspring may be born from strong bodies; second, that they may bear them selves bravely in childbirth; third, that if necessity arises, they may be able to fight for themselves, their children, and their country.

Fail to Protect Children: In view of the startling fact that in a single year 1,634 London children have died in consequence of injuries received from open fireplaces, an effort is being made to have a law enacted to punish parents who leave children unguarded in rooms that have such fireplaces.

Coloring Meerschaum Pipes, Perre Chapel, who recently died at Liege, Belgium, made a good living by coloring meerschaum pipes. His secret was to smoke regularly, but very slowly, never to allow the pipe to get foul or to be subject to draughts or sudden changes of temperature, and never to smoke out of doors.

Nature's Electric Lights: Not only is the sun like a great arc light, but all the stars in the sky are nature's electric lights, illuminating measurable space.

The want ads are always busy.

## PRICE OF BEEF HAS STEADILY GONE UP

Plan to Beat the Beef Trust and Still Secure Nourishing Food.

Telegraphic advices from all over the country continue to confirm the reports that the price of beef has advanced from four to seven cents a pound.

As this advance will naturally affect the prices of all meats and provisions, it directly touches the pockets of all the people and they begin to ask, "Can we get along on less meat?" You certainly can.

Beef is classed as one of the "nitrogenous foods." The "strenuous life" in variable climates calls for a certain amount of nitrogenous food. But the whole wheat grain is also rich in protein. The nitrates and phosphates are mostly in the outer coats of the wheat kernel. These are largely discarded in the making of white flour.

In the making of the shredded whole wheat products, the nitrates as well as the phosphates of the whole wheat grain are preserved in their most digestible form. Shredded wheat is a better "nitrogenous food" than beef. It is more nourishing and wholesome than beef and not so hard on the kidneys and liver.

We all need some meat, but we all eat too much. Shredded wheat biscuits are a muscle-maker and tissue-builder and cheaper than beef. It is a good time to try it and you can get it at any grocer.

## "KICKERS' KOLUM"

### Those Party Calls

**Editor Kickers' Kolum:** So little appreciation is shown by the men, particularly the young men, of this city, that it is not surprising that people grow weary of entertaining them. Social amanities and duties rest very lightly on their shoulders. This is only another way of saying that they are ill-mannered, and I've half a mind to say it. Why, do you know that a lady who gave a party several weeks before Lent began has not been favored by a single male caller? This is only one instance. The men seem to think they can do just as they please in Janesville, the supply being limited. Maybe they can. Maybe they will not mind being told that they are tolerated just for that reason and for that alone. It may be rude simply because those who suffer are unable to punish, but I doubt it. Did I say "suffer"? I didn't mean to. We no longer care particularly whether the mean things call or not. It's the motive actuating their indifference and neglect that makes us so mad.

### "INDIGNATION."

**"Old Timer" Again.**

**Kicker Kolum Editor:** Dear Sir—I wrote last week under the nomenclature of "Old Timer" and called attention to the fact that the Mayor forty years ago dared proclaim that all saloons close on certain days and that today the saloon element was so feared that it would seem as if the millennium had come if such a proclamation was issued. I noticed in last evening's "Forty Years Ago" department that a proclamation of the same order was issued for the day when Lincoln was buried and thereby consider that I prove that such a thing was then customary. The world according to some minds may not have grown worse but certainly in this direction it has taken a step backward.

### "OLD TIMER."

To the Editor: Can some one explain what use it is to quarantine a family having a contagious disease and then allow the physician in charge of the case to come from the sick-room without changing his clothes or taking any precaution and mingling with other people? This has been done in Janesville. Has not the city health officer any power over the matter and if not, who has?

### "ANXIOUS PARENT."

To the Editor: I read in last Saturday night's Gazette that a Janesville physician refused to attend a man stricken fatally on the street, saying it was work for the poor doctor. I think the doctor who refused to attend a dying man is himself a "poor doctor" of the worst type and the public should know his name.

### "MRS. CHIT CHAT."

To the Editor: I would like to register a kick as to the placing of the waste-paper boxes on the narrow sidewalk on the bridge. The walk is too narrow as it is, and with this huge box placed there it is worse than ever. Why not have it located somewhere else?

### "A PEDESTRIAN."

To the Editor: That bicycle law should be enforced and riders prohibited from riding on the sidewalks by stringent methods. Let the chief of police take them in court and fine them good. A few examples and the nuisance would be ended.

### "THE MAN-ON-FOOT."

To the Editor: Wait until the police force appear in their white wings of peace, the "White Helmets of Navarre." My, but they will look fine. It would appear as though Alderman Schmidt and Grove, who were members of the fire and police committee, wanted to have their names become illustrious and so picked out the white wings. "JUST A FARCE."

To the Kick Editor: I am a former resident of Appleton and a reader of the Appleton Post. I notice that they have copied your plan of a "Kickers' Kolum" and one of their "kicks" would apply to some of the young ladies who attend public gatherings and meetings in Janesville. Though I am not deaf here is the "kick":

The girl who giggles should be suppressed. There is a girl who sits in front of me in church and giggles whenever anything funny happens and many times when I can't see anything funny. As I am a little deaf I miss a good deal of the service. I don't doubt but what other people are troubled in this way as much as I am and all I can say is that such girls need to be severely dealt with. Perhaps if they were kept home from

church a Sunday or two they would cease to misbehave."

"FORMER APPLETONIAN."

## HAVE CANCELED PLAN FOR BENEFIT

**Firemen's Relief Association Will Postpone Their Annual Benefit at Opera House.**

It had been planned by the members of the Firemen's Relief Association to secure Walton Pyre and his company in a return date of "A Fool and His Money" on May 4th, but owing to the fact that Mr. Pyre is meeting with such exceptional success and is now booked for only week stands sold until way into the summer, this plan was abandoned and the association will now wait until later in the year, when arrangements will be made for a benefit with some other company.

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Homeward bound to their loved ones and enlightened city, two Janesville damsels who had tarried too long with the cup that cheers Beloit, disembarked from an interurban car last evening. Their conversation on the road was reported to have been of a sulphurous hue, but luckily there were few passengers. The young women navigated the course to their east side home with a slow zigzag.

Buy in Janesville.

## WM. KEPPEN GETS \$220 DAMAGES

For Loss of Companionship of Wife Alleged to Have Been Injured in Automobile-Runaway Accident.

After deliberating from eleven in the morning until eight o'clock last evening, the jury trying the \$5,000 damage suit of Johanna Keppen vs. George H. Clarke, et al, reported to Judge Donwidell that it could arrive at no decision. The jurors were then upon discharged. At half-past two this afternoon the jury trying the action brought by William Keppen, husband of Johanna, to recover damages for the loss of her companionship and injuries to horse and vehicle, brought in a special verdict, awarding \$220 in damages to the plaintiff. Atty. J. H. Daubner of Waukesha appeared for Mr. Keppen and Atty. Armin and McCarthy of that city and W. G. Wheeler of Janesville, for the defendants. Both actions were concerned with an accident resulting from a run-away near Waukesha on August 27, last, alleged to have been caused by the Clarke automobile.

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Mrs. Emerson and Mrs. Elizabeth Mabelson Summoned to the World Beyond.

Edgerton, April 18.—Death has silently entered the homes of many this week and claimed as his own those who for years have been well known among Edgerton people. Those who for years have watched the city grow and while they have grown older themselves they have become dearer as age slackened their step and silveryed their locks.

The home of Mrs. Nels Larson was saddened Saturday by the passing away of her mother, Mrs. Emerson. The funeral was held Monday morning from the Norwegian Lutheran church. Rev. J. Linnevoid conducted the services which were attended by a large circle of sympathizing friends.

Mrs. Elizabeth Mableson.

Mrs. Elizabeth Mableson, widow of George Mableson, was called from this life Saturday, having many friends to mourn. Deceased was 62 years of age and has lived for many years in Edgerton. The funeral was held Monday conducted by Rev. Hardcastle, a former pastor of the P. M. church here.

Mrs. Emma C. Pease.

The body of Mrs. Emma C. Pease, a former resident of Fulton, was brought here Monday from Kenosha, where she died Sunday. Mrs. Pease is the widow of the late Webster Pease and mother of Mrs. Nellie Hill and Frank Pease of this place. She had reached the ripe old age of eighty-three years. The funeral was held at Fulton Tuesday afternoon.

The funeral of Mrs. Carl Handtke held Monday afternoon was largely attended by friends of the departed. Rev. J. Stilman conducted the services. Interment was made in the cemetery here.

**Edgerton News Notes.**

Ira Howard who has been seriously ill for some time is reported no better.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jenson are the proud parents of a young daughter who came to their home Tuesday morning.

Miss Grace Spaulding spent Saturday at her home in Milton.

Misses Mabel and Leona Westlake and Alice Morrissey of Janesville were over Sunday; guests at their homes here.

Eugene Short was here from Beloit and spent Sunday with his mother and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. David Lampman of Janesville were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McGiffin over Sunday.

Johnson McGiffin of Janesville has been spending the past week here.

Miss Martha Blant went to Kenosha Monday morning where she expects to spend the summer.

Rev. F. C. Richardson was a day.

Miss Maggie Skibek, who is teaching school at Crystal Springs, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Skibek.

Two representatives of the International Correspondence Schools of Scranton, Pa., Messrs. A. R. Estlin of Madison and J. H. Martin of Janesville, were here last week looking after the interests of that institution. The International has a large number of students here and by systematic work last week increased the number largely.

**NORTH HARMONY WOMAN GROWS A LARGE ROSE.**

Has a Flower That Measures Thirteen and One-Half Inches in Circumference.

North Harmony, April 18.—Mrs. W. H. Gray has a rose grown by herself that measures thirteen and one-half inches in circumference.

Miss Mary Wilcox visited her cousin Lois Crandall the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Osborn of Milton and Mr. Frank Wheeler of Antigo, were visitors at W. H. Gray's Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilcox have a little daughter that arrived Sunday, April 16.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Ella Wilcox April 25. Quotations from William Cullen Bryant.

Mrs. Goldthorpe of Long Beach and Mrs. Braxton of Los Angeles, Cal., have been visiting their brother, Frank Richardson, the past week.

Mr. A. E. Wilcox is erecting a new bay barack and building a porch on the house, besides other improvements.

**JOHNSTOWN.**

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## 68 Years Old, Took "Seven Barks"— Feels Like A Different Man—No Kidney Trouble Now.

Michigan, called on M. J. Harper recently in the interest of the Lamb Wire Fence Co.

Mr. Chas. Bowles has been assisting his brother, Warren Bowles, who move on his farm here recently. Mrs. August Scholtz visited relatives at Waterlow, Wis., last week.

Mrs. Otto Hageman is entertaining her sister from Monticello this week.

The creamery is now running every day.

Thos. Harper purchased a horse last week from Magnolia parties.

### PLYMOUTH.

Plymouth, April 17.—The members of the board of school district No. 5 met one day last week and planted trees on the school grounds. It is an improvement that has long been needed.

Miss Katie Emerson was a Janesville caller Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Arnold spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Rumage east of Janesville.

The Misses Agnes Tews and Rena Larson visited at Viuna Raybor's Thursday.

Andrew Rieheimer and son Vernon were Janesville callers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Condon of Brodhead visited over Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Florence Rumage.

Services at the Plymouth church Sunday afternoon and evening were well attended.

John Zebell of Hanover has been spending a week with his nephew, Will Damrow.

Mrs. Frank Dean of Ladysmith spent a few days last week with Mr. Henry Raymond.

Messrs. Melvin and Carl Larson were confirmed at the Luthern church in Beloit.

Miss Alda Emerson returned home from Green county Saturday for a week's vacation, her sister May taking her place during her absence.

Miss Irene Larson and Miss Anna Raybor spent Friday with Mrs. W. A. Dearhamer of Beloit.

There will be a social at the Plymouth church Friday night, April 27. All are cordially invited to attend.

### MAGNOLIA CENTER.

Magnolia Center, April 17.—Miss Ella Edwards spent last week with her grandparents in Milton.

Mr. Edw. Lubtke returned from Chicago Friday and was accompanied by his father, who will remain here with him for a time.

The many friends of Mr. Ben Graves, who passed away last week, were shocked to hear of his death. We mourn with the bereaved ones.

The section gang at Magnolia were called to Harvard, Ill., early Monday morning to help put back about fifteen cars which jumped the track Sunday.

Mr. Ed. Davis of Center, now drives to see his best girl in Magnolia, in a swell rubber tired buggy.

Mr. George Lavzon now rides in a new buggy.

Mr. George Bishop took a load of sand potatoes to Brodhead last Saturday.

Miss Lottie Edwards was a caller in Center Saturday morning.

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The evening services were well attended.

Miss Bertha Fossum visited at Lovas Johnson's Sunday.

Miss May Emerson is teaching at Farmer's Grove this week as a substitute for her sister, Ada.

Miss Nettie Noss still remains very ill, much to the sorrow of her many friends.

Mr. nad Mrs. John Rumage were in Beloit on business Monday.

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Very Low Excursion Rates to San Francisco and Los Angeles.

Center, April 17.—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Daniels of Belleville, Kansas, were visitors at John Fisher's last week.

Several from here attended the rhetorical contest held at Janesville high school Friday evening.

Ed. Davis has a fine new carriage.

Ed. Ringer Wiggins of the University of Wisconsin is expected to return home Wednesday to spend the usual Easter vacation.

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Esther Parmley expects to start Tuesday for an extended trip to the western states.

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DR. A. W. CHASE'S NERVE PILLS.

Every day sees an army of worn out women dragging themselves to work or forcing themselves to attend to their household duties—women whose trouble lies in an overstrain or over-exertion at some time in the past—women who stay in this condition and think themselves beyond repair, because they know nothing of the wonderful power of Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills to give them back their health, strength and vitality, by their ability to re-supply the lost nerve energy, to build up the system to manufacture good rich blood, and give increased weight by making the digestion strong and vigorous.

Miss Ella Smith, of No. 48 Miller St., Newark, N. J., writes:

"Last summer I was so weak I staggered when I walked. I was very nervous, easily excited, could not rest right, blood thin, appetite poor, and hands trembled—I was in a low state of health. About this time I got a box of Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills and though everything else had failed, these pills put me on my feet in good health, and that quickly, too. It was not long before I was eating and sleeping well—the nervousness and trembling gone—the blood rich and my strength back. They are a grand medicine and I feel vigorous and strong in every way." 50c a box at dealers or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M. D., on every package.

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Frank Scribner underwent an operation for appendicitis at St. Joseph's hospital, Milwaukee, last week.

George Klein is remodelling his building on North Main street. He intends to cover the outside with metal sheeting, move it up to the level of the street, and put in large store windows.

Harvey Baldwin, a former resident of this city and well known to many in the county, died in Milwaukee last week.

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Misses Emma Steffens and Gusta Grinenet were visitors in Milwaukee Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Learned returned Monday from a week's visit with friends in Clinton Junction.

James Ellis is entertaining a number of friends from Lake Mills.

Mrs. C. W. Johnson of Milton spent a few days of last week with Mrs. W. A. Greene.

An extra train will run from here to Baraboo at 12:15 today.

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Author of "In Love and Truth"

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that look of horror from thy face.

This

emblem—

lifting

the cross

in her hand

and regarding it affectionately—is but

the parting gift of my friend, Hilda

Manning,

who was so good, whose

soul

was so fair that God took her to

himself."

Hetty continued to regard the cross

with looks of aversion and distaste.

"Take it off, dear Margaret," she en- treated.

"Such papist signs will be a

curse to thee! Cousin, 'tis near to idol worship!"

Margaret shook her head reprovingly.

"Tis thine education doth make thee

think these things, Puritan Hetty.

Why,

cousin,

the day before she passed

away to heaven, my Hilda with weak

hands clasped this chain about my

neck, asking me to wear it for all time

in memory of our true friendship.

This

did I promise her that I would do.

A curse?" she repeated reproachfully.

"Nay,

cousin,

from one so near to

heaven more like 'twill prove a blessing."

For a moment Margaret was silent.

Then she added, "So recent hath been

my bereavement and with such a

short time have these hands wiped

the tears from the anguished mother's

eyes that the subject pains me."

Then she turned away suddenly, as if

to end the matter, walked to the bed

and, lifting a dress of sheerest linen

from the white counterpane, cut in the

daintiest fashion, with the skirt made full

with countless long ruffled ruffles to

the waist, the bodice low at the neck

and sleeveless, gayly bedecked with

knots and streamers of azure ribbon,

said, "Wouldst like this for thy wed-

ding frock, dear Hetty?"

The girl turned red, then white. Tears

of pleasure filled her eyes. She could

not speak.

"Throw off that grim black dress

that doth ensnare thee," Margaret

cried gayly, "and let us see the effect

of a French frock on thy pretty figure.

First I shall comb thy hair high on thy

head and put a bunch of feathers at

the top. I wot the style will become

thee, Hetty, as thou'rt not tall. Methinks thou'lt see a vast improvement

in thy looks."

After much brushing and combing,

twisting and turning, happy laughter

and clattering comment, the little Puritan maid was changed into a fashion- able woman of the world. With her full white skirts trailing after her, she paced up and down before the mirror in an ecstasy of delight, holding her head high, as if she were a queen and the bunch of feathers set so high above it a royal crown of gold.

Margaret, standing away from her to

see the effect, was amazed at the sight

of her cousin's enhanced beauty.

"I truth thou'rt pretty, Hetty," she said, "an' the frock adds to thee might- fully. Hast e'er a lover, cousin?" she added as an afterthought.

The red color in Hetty's cheeks grew

deeper, spreading to the roots of her

hair as she turned away.

"Thou hast," Margaret exclaimed,

laughing merrily. "I know it by thy blushing! What long faced wight hereabout hath dared to love my Hetty?"

"Who talks of lovers?" asked a stern voice.

Both girls started violently with surprise at the unexpected sound, and turning, they saw Mistress Taunton, grim and severe, standing at the threshold.

"And Hetty Taunton, take off that wicked garb thou hast put on!" she exclaimed. "Hast no shame, maid, that thou doth wear that sinful dress to show thy naked breast and arms? Learn now, so that thou'lt not forget it, that such wicked vanities are but the

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"Tis passing strange," he reflected, "how the impression was fixed in my mind that Cragenstein lay on the other road. Donnie, twere well I asked the maid or 'twould have been tomorrow ere I would see Margaret. As 'tis, I shall see her soon, maybe before darkness falls, and, by my troth, one glance from her bright eyes will cause me to forget the perils and fatigues of this journey."

With a sudden bright smile of happiness illuminating his countenance he looked over his shoulder to see his fol-

first stepping stones the devil doth lay down to pave the way to eternal punishment. Dost wish to burn forever, thou vain maid?"

"The Margaret's gift to me from Paris," Hetty faltered as she began with nervous haste to undo the fastenings.

Margaret regarded the older woman with a glance that expressed both indignation and astonishment.

"Prithey, good aunt," she remonstrated, "speak not so harshly to poor Hetty, who is so young and fair that 'tis but natural she should take pleasure in her beauty."

"Hetty had ever an unseemly desire for gay clothing," her aunt replied stiffly, the expression on her face remaining stern and angry. "Her boetting sin and folly is worldly vanity; so it is my duty as her mother to scour it out of her so that she may become a decorous and decent woman. Margaret, my son Josiah awaits thee below in the withdrawing room. He would render to thee thine accounts, and a fair and just steward I trow thou wilt find he hath been, fair niece."

Mrs. Taunton put her rough, toll worn hand on Margaret's shoulder. "I advise thee to heed Josiah's counsel, for, although of mine own son I say it, he is a godly man of much honor and virtue. 'Twere well for so young a maid as thou to take his counsel in all things pertaining to the management of thine estate, to learn to rely on his assistance, to depend on him, and thus am I promise thee that thou will find, withal profit, freedom from care and much happiness as a consequence."

"Rain, more discomfort," he exclaimed in great vexation. "Methought those low black clouds had a look of evil portent. By the memory of my mother I do swear it," he continued angrily, "that not for sums of gold, nor in obedience to the commands of twenty La Fabiennes, would I leave Paris again to journey forth to any mountain village in this accursed country."

Fading that his master was gaining

(To be Continued.)

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"By St. Peter of the Fettors," he exclaimed impatiently, "a more tedious journey, worse roads or harder riding it hath never been my fate to experience! Gaston," turning to the man who rode after him, "what said that sour visaged callant we encountered just below about the road to Cragenstein?"

"Hung me for a witch if I could understand a word of his mumbling," the man replied. "Such suspicious looks he cast at us, as though we were highwaymen who would take his purse or run him through, roused my ire, Sir Godfrey. Certes, but I was tempted to slip his sour face!"

"Peace, Gaston!" Sir Godfrey La Fabienne, who had been looking intently at something in the distance, threw up his head with an air of pleasure. "Surely that rough structure of logs above our heads on the rocks is a dwelling house. Methinks I see signs of human habitation."

Spurring his horse into a gallop, he rode rapidly up the steep incline, halting abruptly when he reached the top to gaze about him.

"Quickly, Gaston!" he called cheerfully to his servant, who was following at a slower rate of speed. "At last we've reached a stretch of open country; also the two roads—pointing ahead with his whip—that yonder churlish fellow we encountered just below did mention. As we could not get his meaning, Gaston, perchance 'twould be better to make inquiries before we venture further, for, by heaven, I can think of no worse calamity than to go wrong on the rocky roads of this mountain wilderness. Follow slowly, Gaston, while I ride thither to ask our way of the people at the house."

The intense silence surrounding the lonely, desolate looking cabin was broken by the noisy clattering of a horse's hoofs as La Fabienne rode up to the door and knocked upon it loudly with the handle of his whip. For a moment there was no response; then a light footfall was heard, and a voice asked timidly, "Who knocks?"

"A traveler that would but ask his way to the village of Cragenstein," La Fabienne called in reply. "Open without fear."

At his bidding the door was pushed out an inch or two, and a girl not more than ten years of age peered through the opening. At the unexpected sight of the nobleman in his rich and handsome dress astride the gayly caparisoned horse before her door the mountain bred child was startled out of all composure. Gasping for breath, her mouth fell open and her eyes farrily protruded with awe and astonishment.

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Madison, Wis., April 19.—By a vote of 75 to 12 the Wisconsin assembly without debate passed the railroad rate commission bill. The assembly concurred in senate bills prohibiting the sale of giant firecrackers and forbidding spring shooting. The Social Democratic resolution for an old age pension fund was killed.

#### SCHOOL TAX RULING.

Springfield, Ill., April 19.—The Supreme Court decided in the case of the school inspectors of Joliet that only the city council has power to authorize school taxes. A similar decision was rendered in a case from Galena.

#### SENATOR PENROSE TO RETIRE.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 19.—Senator Boies Penrose has announced that he will retire as Republican state chairman April 26, the day the Republican state convention will meet at Harrisburg.

#### COAST DEFENSE SQUADRON.

Washington, April 19.—The coast-defense squadron of the North Atlantic fleet, under command of Rear-Admiral F. W. Dickins, arrived in Hampton Roads from Key West, Fla.

#### DEATH FOR GRAND DUKE'S SLAYER.

Moscow, April 19.—Kalef, who killed Grand Duke Sergius, was sentenced to death.

#### FROST FISHING.

Catching fish without hook, bait or net may seem to inlanders almost an impossibility. Such fishing may be seen on the Atlantic coast nightly, near New York, and a species of the herring family most succulent and toothsome is secured by the thousands during the winter season in this way. The little frost fish come in near shore to feed at the half tide, but the powerful rollers, catching them, toss them upon the sand, where they lie gasping and struggling until a succeeding roller carries them safely back into the icy green seas, unless some skillful hand lifts the little frost fish into a clam basket. Meanwhile barrels and baskets, bags and wagons innumerable are being filled to overflowing as wave after wave flings the fish upon the sand.—N. Y. Herald.

#### CORN PLANTING.

"While corn-planting has continued in Kansas, Missouri and southern Illinois, none has been planted farther north nor in the upper Ohio valley and middle states. Preparations for planting have been active in the central valleys, where planting will be vigorously pushed as soon as temperature conditions are favorable. In the south Atlantic and east gulf states planting is about finished and early corn is being cultivated."

"Winter wheat continues in promising condition generally throughout the country, but is beginning to need rain in portions of Kansas and Michigan. Very slow progress was made with spring wheat seeding over the northern portion of the springwheat region, as this work could be prosecuted only in the afternoons on account of low temperatures. The early sown spring wheat does not appear to have sustained injury from recent cold, except in Nebraska, where some fields were slightly damaged."

#### OATS AND COTTON.

"Oat-seeding was also delayed in the Dakotas, Minnesota, lake region and portion of the middle Atlantic states. While growth of the early sown has been checked and some injury sustained in Nebraska, the general situation respecting this crop continues promising."

"Cotton-planting is much delayed in Mississippi and Louisiana and is later than usual in Texas and the Carolinas. Better progress with this work has been made in Alabama and Georgia and in the southern portions of these states is nearing completion. Fair to good stands of the early planted are reported from Alabama, Georgia and Florida. In Texas the early planted is reported as promising."

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